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# **MESSAGE**

Dear Examiner Lam:

Further to our telephone conversation of November 17, 2005, please find enclosed a Preliminary Amendment for this application.

With best regards,

Remus F. Fetea

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
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SERIAL NO: 10/500,858 :  
FILED: JULY 19, 2004 : GAU: 2816  
FOR: NONLINEAR RESISTOR CIRCUIT :  
USING FLOATING GATE  
MOSFETS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

In response to the telephone request of Examiner Lam on November 17, 2005, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.